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One Cent

NIGHT SCHOOL WILL START PROBABLY NEXT MONDAY

Teacher Is Elected By School Board At Meeting Held Last Night.

COMES WELL RECOMMENDED

Has Taught Two Years In High And One In Common School.

It is likely that the night school for which over one hundred foreigners and Americans of this place petitioned recently will be started up next Monday. The old chapel in the High School building has been fitted up for occupancy and the only thing to be done now is the putting in of seats. If these come so that they can be installed by Monday, the school will be started at that time.

Last night the school board held a called meeting and elected a teacher for the night work. The applicant which seemed the most satisfactory and the only one of the three who sought the position that had ever had any experience in school work was George H. Chessman, of Pittsburg, and he was elected.

Mr. Chessman has spent two years in High School and one in common school so that he is well qualified for the work here.

Not only will he have charge of the night school but he will be required to also take charge of a few branches in High School. The High School teachers have been rushed to keep up with their work all year and it would have been necessary to sooner or later select an instructor to assist them.

The salary of the new instructor will be \$30 a month. He is a graduate of Grove City college and has taught in Butler county.

Fire Finally Extinguished At Hazel Mine

The Hazel mines will resume operations in full Wednesday, October 28, 1908.

The fire has been totally extinguished and all burnt cinders removed from the mine. At no time after 2 p. m. Saturday were the flames in a dangerous condition. We had plenty of water in reservoir inside the mine, aggregating 20 acres of water six feet deep. We regret very much the reports printed in the city papers. The damage will not exceed \$5,000.

The Pittsburg-Buffalo company, through its general manager, D. G. Jones, furnished the above statement Tuesday afternoon.

While the fire has been extinguished, this was not accomplished without hard and persistent work on the part of the company's officials, who worked untiringly from the moment the fire was discovered until it was extinguished.

Beginning this morning the big mine will be operated as if the fire had not occurred.

The Babbitt Studio is giving a beautiful souvenir containing your photo with every order for a dozen photos.

Minton Shipe and family, and Mr. Beazell left this morning for Okmulgee, Okla., where they will locate.

MONONGAHELA PLANT TO RESUME OPERATIONS

Monongahela, Pa., Oct. 27.—George Anton of the firm of George Anton and Brothers, at Monongahela, the largest manufacturer of miners' lamps in the world, stated last night that they hoped to be able to resume in part after a three-month shutdown on January 1, regardless of the presidential election's outcome.

LEGAL QUESTION IN OUSTING OF COUNCILMEN

An argument raising an interesting constitutional question was made in the Fayette county court yesterday before both Judge R. E. Umbel and J. Q. Van Swearingen. The point involved the ouster proceedings brought against a number of Masontown councilmen. Attorney D. M. Hertzog, for the councilmen, contending that the act which provided the courts with authority to take cognizance of such proceedings conflicts with the Pennsylvania constitution. Attorney John M. Core, appeared in behalf of the petitioners, arguing that the courts held concurrent power with the governor and senate.

The argument was made upon but two of the cases, those against J. A. Sterling and D. O. Lardin. Demurrers were filed to the actions and two reasons cited in support. One was that the furnishing of bonds to the borough, the complaint made in this case, was not within the prohibition of the act of assembly which mentioned martial and supplies; the second reason being the unconstitutionality of the act.

Just before the argument opened, the court granted an issue in a civil minority auditors' report in which the borough of Masontown is plaintiff and J. A. Sterling, J. B. Sterling, M. H. Cloud, William Bensaker, Ray Anderson, D. O. Lardin and S. F. Hawkins are defendants. This action is to recover the money alleged to have been wrongfully expended. The plaintiff is to file a statement of claim within ten days and the defendants an answer within fifteen days thereafter.

CHARGED WITH THE FORGING OF CHECK

Charged with forging a check for \$45.63 on Joe Solomon at a Millsboro bank, Albert Toney was arrested yesterday at Brownsville by Constable William Briscoe, but later gave \$300 bail for a hearing before Justice William Jeffries of that place. It is alleged by Solomon, the prosecutor that Toney forged his name on the check and drew the money from the bank without his knowledge. Toney who was employed by Joe Brown, a Brownsville merchant, at the time of the arrest denies the charge. The hearing will be this week.

Notice.
The Grand Red, White and Blue Masquerade reception will be held in the Bank of Charleroi Hall Saturday evening, Oct. 31. 65t3

SAD ACCIDENT AT MONONGAHELA— FATHER STRIKES SON WITH PICK

Digging Excavation And The Instrument In Hands Of Older Man Sinks Into Son's Head—Father On Verge Of Insanity.

With his son unconscious and probably dying because of a blow accidentally inflicted by the rather John Charles Ashton, Sr., of Monongahela, is suffering excruciating mental torture and is apparently on the verge of insanity.

He and his 17-year-old son were digging the foundation for a new house which was to be the family's home when completed, at Monongahela. They worked after dark last evening, the father digging dirt loose with a pick and the son hauling it from the excavation in a wheelbarrow.

Standing with his pick upraised Charles Ashton did not see the 17-year-old boy re-enter the foundation and stoop to let down the wheelbarrow. When the pick descended he saw too late his son's peril. The implement struck young Ashton upon the temple. He was knocked unconscious and was thought to be fatally hurt.

The injured youth, has not yet recovered consciousness. He may die at any moment, it is announced, and the father is wild with grief over the tragic affair.

Arrangements For Big Rally Of Republicans Completed

Washington, Oct. 28.—Arrangements have been completed for the Republican meeting to be held here tomorrow night in the town hall. It is expected that hundreds of strangers will be here to attend. A special train and additional street car service will bring those living along the river district.

Judge J. T. Taylor will act as chairman of the meeting and a number of vice chairmen have been appointed. Those from Charleroi and

North Charleroi are Kerfoot W. Daly, Chas. F. Thompson, Charleroi, Geo. Nutt, North Charleroi.

Senator Thurston will arrive in Washington during the day, and may hold an informal reception with Lieutenant Governor Murphy at one of the hotels. Mr. Tener will come to Washington during the afternoon also. After the meeting the speakers will board the special train for Pittsburg, as it is necessary that Senator Thurston be in Washington, D. C. the next morning.

Monessen Will Fight Plague Burglars At Eldora Home

Within a month it is said Monessen will have a State Tuberculosis Commission waging an active warfare on the dread white plague and sufferers from the vicinity can get the best of treatment according to the most modern methods in use in fighting the disease. The good fortune of the town can be attributed in the main to Jesse E. B. Cunningham who upon a recent visit there acquainted several prominent citizens with the fact that three such commissions were to be appointed in Westmoreland county. Monessen's cap was immediately set for one of them.

A committee appointed in that connection, met and elected Dr. Morgan J. Cramer, chief. It will be necessary for Dr. Cramer to treat tuberculosis sufferers according to the methods laid down by the State board, but before his election is ratified by the State officials he will have to pass an examination. The committee is composed of George Nash, U. S. Smiley, W. S. Bumbaugh, Andy Scott and J. J. Cushing.

Quarters will be equipped at Monessen and free treatment will be given those who cannot afford to pay for it. Free examinations will be given in any case and in the event of serious cases they will be sent to the state dispensary in the mountains. Greensburg and Scottsdale will get the other two commissions in Westmoreland.

Last night burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam G. Wickerham in Eldora and robbed the basement of the house of considerable stuff that had been placed there. Entry was made through the cellar door. The articles taken mostly were canned fruit that Mrs. Wickerham had placed there. Officers were notified at Monongahela and made an investigation but with no fruitful results.

WASH DAY BAD TIME TO FIGHT

Wash day is a bad time to scrap. Anyhow this is the opinion of Mrs. Annie Deams, of the bill section, and Mrs. Yates as well. The former was fined \$2 and costs this morning at a hearing before Justice E. E. Wilson, on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Mrs. Yates. It seems that the two who are neighbors, yesterday morning became engaged in an argument over the back fence. It is understood that both were washing, and Mrs. Deams, finally angered beyond control, launched a pan of hot starch at Mrs. Yates which the latter escaped only by her ability to run.

Superintendent Dodds of the County Home Resigns Position

After several days of probing into the alleged irregularities at the County home, of which J. V. Dodds is superintendent a final meeting was held yesterday by the directors of the poor at which Superintendent Dodds tendered his resignation to take effect not later than November 23. It was found that Mr. Dodds was off in his accounts to upwards of \$60, while the Taxpayers league claims that there is a shortage of over \$170 which includes stuff taken from the home for Mr. Dodds' own consumption on his farm in Independence township.

The first talk of irregularities at the County home was at the last audit and later the Taxpayers league handed the board of poor directors a list to investigate which has appeared in these columns before. The investigation then started nas culminated in Superintendent Dodds handing in his resignation.

In addition to the investigation of the accounts of Mr. Dodds already made and in connection with his resignation, it has also been agreed between the directors and Mr. Dodds that each shall select a representative

and that these two shall make complete audit and statement of the accounts of Mr. Dodds from January 1, 1908, up to the date when his connection with the home shall cease. Of course the only official and binding audit can be made by the county auditors; but it is was thought best by both parties that this present investigation and statement should be made for the benefit of all interested.

On the statement of two directors of the poor a public investigation was to have been held in the public meeting room of the court house yesterday morning, but none of the directors showed up and those who had gathered adjourned. It was later learned that the directors were holding a meeting with their attorneys, McIlvain and Clark, in the Trust building and the resignation of Mr. Dodds was the result.

It is understood that Mr. Dodds will be enabled to adjust his affairs at the County home, preparatory to removing on November 23rd, as set forth in his resignation, and that his successor will be appointed thereafter.

MUCH EXCITEMENT AT THE MINER'S CONVENTION TODAY

COME ON BOAT TO BEGIN WORK

Pittsburg, Oct. 28.—Contractor Frank Dantella, with a large force of workmen, horses and wagons left today for Charleroi on the packet Columbia to begin grading for the extension of the trolley line from Donora to Eldora park.

KLU KLUX KLAN OF MONONGAHELA WILL COME HERE

Some time before long it is very probable that Charleroi will have an opportunity of witnessing the Klu Klux Klan, the Monongahela Society that has made such reputation, and which was in the Sesqui Centennial, parade at Pittsburg, recently. The Klan intends to parade in various towns of this section as an advertisement of their annual New Year's celebration and Charleroi one of the first on the list.

The history of the Klu Klux Klan is interesting. The one located at Monongahela is the only one now in existence in the United States at the present time and it is much different from the original body which was formed in the year 1867, or just after the close of the civil war. The original klan was a secret society in the Southern States, composed of carpet bidders and scalawags. The object of the society was to intimidate negroes and others from taking part in politics. This organization was suppressed by an act of Congress on of 1871.

The Monongahela Klan is merely an imitation of the famous body and a proposition has been made to form a permanent organization and have it conducted on a plan whereby each member is entitled to benefits should he become sick, or be the victim of an accident. The Monongahela people have costumes, they being white flowing robes, with King's Jester hats. On the breast of the coats there is a black circle bearing white crosses. The company will go to Homestead on Halloween and likely come here to parade a few days later. They have been tendered an invitation to go to the former place, and will have all their expenses paid.

ORDERED TO GET OUT OF TOWN AT ONCE

Two ladies of this place, possessing an unenviable reputation, were before Burgess Hott, last night on a charge of creating a disturbance on the street. They were ordered to get out of town, at once, and stated that they would.

Work Started.

Work has started in Monongahela at cleaning the old Casino Nickleodean, which is to be remodeled by Zimmer Bros., of that place and an Arcade opened. When finished the place will be one of the best of the kind in the valley. Bowling alleys, shooting galleries and other things of a like nature will be installed in the place. The Casino Nickleodean was in one of the landmarks of Monongahela, in what is known as the old Applegate building. The remodeling is to be finished by the 20th of November.

National President Lewis and District President Feehan Have Clash.

ON ACCOUNT OF EMNITY

Lewis Said To Have Sent Organizers Into District Secretly.

A warm session of the miners of District No. 5 is being held in Pittsburg today. The convention which was called by the executive board opened yesterday and the meeting was interesting from the start. Today National President T. L. Lewis is present and during the course of the session there will be a clash between he and Mr. Feehan. The miners of this district are greatly worked up over the action of the former, who it is said is fighting the president of the district on account of personal emnity.

The convention was called at the petition of the miners against the wishes of Mr. Lewis, to investigate the charges of drunkenness preferred against Vice President Clark of District No. 5, who was suspended by President Feehan, and take up the matter of the organizers which were sent into the field it is claimed, by National President Lewis, to create dissension. The latter is real cause for the calling of the convention.

It is well known that Mr. Lewis is not a friend of Mr. Feehan, who defeated the former's man for president of this district. For this reason, it is said, the National president who is rather unpopular himself, sent secret organizers, thirteen in number, into this district, without the knowledge of the local leaders, and that they have been disrupting, instead of organizing.

These secret organizers have been in the district ever since Mr. Lewis took charge of the office of National president following the resignation of Mr. Mitchell. He seeks to elect a new list of officials in this district at the coming election in December and thus increase his own standing. Mr. Feehan and the present officials are very popular however and it is hardly likely that the men of the Lewis slate will be placed in office. Moreover it is most likely that Lewis himself will be defeated for National President at the coming election. He was in trouble in the Central district about two weeks ago for the very same reasons against which the miners of District No. 5 are protesting.

The meeting today will no doubt be an exciting one and some things will be brought out that will be interesting to the miners.

The district gathering as against the waiver of liability that the Monongahela River Coal company is enforcing on its employees was put on record yesterday despite the antagonism of the adherents of President Lewis, who desired to have the matter held over until today.

The waiver provides that in the case of any employee under 21 years of age who is either injured or killed while at work in the mines of the company the parent in signing the waiver will not be able to recover damages.

We extend a cordial invitation to anyone suffering with catarrh to call and see Hyomei. The complete outfit costs but \$1.00 and we will refund the money if Hyomei does not cure. Piper Bros. 66t1

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Oct. 28 In History.

1487—Desiderius Erasmus, distinguished
scholar and writer
of the reformation,
born; died 1536.
1492—Columbus discovered
Cuba.
1706—Marshall Grouchy, Erasmus,
the commander blamed by Bonaparte
for his loss at Waterloo,
born; died 1847.
1877—Julia Kavanagh, well known lit-
erature and novelist, died; born
1824.
1900—The Right Hon. Friedrich Max
Muller, professor of philology at
Oxford university, died; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 4:58, rises 6:23; moon sets
7:22 p. m.

Two Steps in Penny Postage.

"I shall be greatly mistaken,"
says J. Henniker Heaton, writing in
the Nineteenth Century and After,
"if another year elapses before the
completion of universal penny post-
age." And he defines the scheme to
be fulfilled as one—

"whereby any inhabitant of out-
planet, white, black or yellow, may
be enabled for the sum of one penny
to communicate with any other at the
lowest possible rate and the highest
attainable speed—Englishman with
German, Frenchman with Italian or
Russian, European with American;
Asiatic with Australian or African—so
that when one soul has something to
say to another neither cool, nor reli-
gion, no creed, nor diplomacy, nor
national antipathy, nor latitude nor
longitude, nor poverty, nor any other
barrier, shall stand between them.
It is a grand yet simple assertion of
the brotherhood of nations; it is
change that threatens no interests and
benefits all mankind."

For almost a quarter of a century
Mr. Heaton has stood actively for this
world scheme of cheap letters. It
was on the 30th day of March, 1886,
that he introduced in the House of
Commons a resolution to extend penny
postage to the British colonies and
to foreign nations. The resolution
was defeated, but "from the hour of
our defeat in 1886," says Mr. Heaton,
"no Government and especially no
Postmaster-General had any rest."

Behind the movement, in which
imperial penny postage was urged as
a first step toward the universal
scheme, was the united press of the
United Kingdom. Such support
should have carried the plan triumph-
antly.

Joyful Halloween

Everything bids fair for a rip-
snorting celebration on Halloween,
not in exactly the manner suggested
by the Mail a few days ago, but in
the same old disjointed way, parties
organizing for all sorts of mischief
from the chancing of a physicians
sign to a church front, to the hanging
of wagons on top of telephone poles.
Although Burgess Hott, says "Be
careful, boys," it is well known just

TREMENDOUS REMNANT SALE!

Is still going on at FREW'S. Unheard of bargains in Furniture, Stoves, Carpets,
Rugs, etc. Don't fail to take advantage of this sale. As an opportunity to furnish your
home at about one-half the usual cost is offered you here. So be wise and come
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\$1.50 to \$3.00. We must make room for a carload lot of new goods. Carpets—the prices will as-
tonish you. We have a beautiful display of Ingrain and Brussels Carpets.

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how careful the ones in search of
some devilment will be. But the
burgess means what he says, and
knows of what he is talking. If his
orders are not followed there will be
arrest and fines—perhaps imprison-
ment.

There are generally about six or
seven nights given to the preparation
of the real and crowning event of
Halloween. The events this year
started Monday night. According to
indications it must have been "chalk"
and "soap night." Last night the
celebration was continued. Tonight
it is understood will be "tick tack"
night, and Thursday evening will be
designated as "cabbage night." Friday
is a general assortment of all
these named above with a little
wickedness thrown in. Corn night
comes in somewhere during the
night's of the week before Halloween
but as far as we can learn it is sub-
ject to change and may be pulled off
anytime. But on Saturday night, let
the people beware. Gates will
strangely disappear, and you may
wake up the next morning to find
yourself locked in your own home and
unable to even find a way to crawl
out. Then if you are unfortunate
enough to not have a phone by which
you can call for aid, you will have
to wait and fume until some passerby
notices your ridiculous plight and con-
sents to help you out of your predicament.

Electric Sparks.

Some men think they could give
the Lord a good many useful pointers
relative to running the universe.

Probably nothing in the world
arouses more genuine curiosity than
the presence of a stranger in a country
village.

When a young man proposes to a
girl and she asks him to consider, it
may mean that she wants to consider
the advisability of breaking another
engagement.

Two Chicago men are tied in a
waist-buttoning contest, each fasten-
ing a 24 button shirt waist in two
minutes and seven seconds. As the
model on which they worked was
composed of plaster, muslin and wood
it can readily be seen why there was
no disposition to loaf on the job.

The Duke of Abruzzi is sharing
publicity in the newspapers with both
Bryan and Taft and he is not running
for office either.

While both parties are very sure
they have got the victory nailed down
and clinched it is not observed that
the confidence induces either of them
to let up in their efforts during the
last week.

A German doctor says that the
human race is subject to 1,100 distinct
diseases. No better proof should be
required to show that we are a tough
lot to stand it.

In all the civilized countries of the
world 60 per cent. of the persons over
10 years of age have to work for
their living.

We may have a mistaken idea about
it, but it is our impression that if
Andrew Jackson were the present
governor of Tennessee he would make
short work of those night riders.

When a woman is too tired in the
evening to go to the theatre it is a
pretty sure thing that she is not as
young as she has been at some time
in her career.

It is also considered better form to
get all your vacation debts paid be-
fore you begin to put up money on the
election.

Acting on the theory that if you
will tell it to them often enough you
can make 'em believe it, it is im-
possible for the spellbinder to take
the best care of his voice.

Lover.

Lover, Pa., Oct. 28.—The Clover
Hill school held an institute at the
Clover Hill church Saturday evening.
Miss Olive Winnett spent a week
recently with her grandmother, Ellen
Winnett, near Coal Center.

The Sphar reunion was held at the
home of Samuel Sphar on Saturday,
Oct. 17. Mr. and Mrs. Taren Sphar,
of Ill., who are visiting in this vicin-
ity were present.

Harry and Marion Scott, Leslie
Williams and David Winnett spent a
couple of days in Pittsburgh recently.
Miss Maude Bonnell of Centerville,
is visiting friend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Geho and
children of Roscoe, spent the later
part of last week with Mrs. Geho's
mother, Mrs. John Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lutes and son
Loyal were Sunday guests of Mrs.
Lutes' sister, Mrs. Noah Carson.
Protracted meetings will begin at
the Ebenezer M. E. church Sunday
evening Nov. 1.

Robert Frye of Monongahela, spent
a few days the first of this week at
the home of Henry Carson.

Eli Litley is spending this week in
Ohio, where he is thinking of buying
a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denny of
California, visited friends near here
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anderson, of
Monongahela visited at the home of
Mrs. Anderson's uncle, Henry Carson
Sunday.

A box social will be held at the
Clover Hill school Saturday evening
Nov. 7.

Walter Lee, of Colliers, W. Va.,
is visiting at the home of his brother,
George Lee.

Good of Rural Delivery.

The rural delivery methods of
Uncle Sam have helped to make some
bad roads better and will continue to
exert a beneficial influence in that
direction. The postoffice authorities
decline to deliver mail unless the
roads are kept in a serviceable state
and since the rural inhabitants are
loath to lose the convenience of daily
delivery, once it is established, they
usually bring pressure to bear upon
the supervisors and others and the
final result is better roads. After
some of the farmers have learned how
great are the benefits they derive from
good roads their enthusiasm will rise
and the terrible roads that have been
the disgrace of this commonwealth
for so many years will be superseded
by highways that will permit the
farmer and the market gardener to
send much larger loads of produce to
market at greatly reduced cost.—
Tribune.

Show At Monessen.

Foreword optimism, experience
teaches, is almost invariably disad-
vantageous to a theatrical performance
and the tendency of publicity promo-
ters to extol their show as the best
ever, frequently creates in that the
performance does not come up to what
the public has been led to expect.
The exception that proves the rule in
this case the manner in which the
London Gayety Girls management has
fulfilled even the possible extravagant
advanced promises as regards its
policy. Each musical extravaganza
offered has been better, more funny
and enjoyable than its immediate
predecessor. Another "great show"
"The London Gayety Girls" will be
the offering at this house next Sat-
urday, Oct. 31 and it is a thoroughly
enjoyable entertainment, featuring
Mlle. Salome, one of the most sensa-
tional dancers the world has ever seen.

Briefs of the County

Washington, Pa., October 28.—At
6 o'clock yesterday morning, in the
St. Alphonsus church, McDonald, was
celebrated a marriage that interests
many Washington people. The con-
tracting parties were John C. Hart,
of Washington, and Miss Agnes
Murphy of McDonald. The Rev. J.
A. Burgoon, of the St. Alphonsus
church, performed the ceremony. Mr.
Hart is a grand nephew of the late
Judge George S. Hart, of the county
courts. After an Eastern trip the
young couple will make their home on
West Hallam avenue.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Rocco Le-
bardi, an Italian, of Tylerdale, was
before Justice Dunlap charged on oath
of Detective J. H. Milsted with
carrying concealed weapons. He was
held for court and in default of bail
was committed to jail. The defend-
ant was arrested by Detective Milsted
just as he was about to board the 8
o'clock train at Chestnut street for
Pittsburg. The accused claimed that
he did not understand what was being
said to him when arraigned before the
justice and an interpreter had to be
called. Another Italian, whose name
was not learned, was before Justice
Dunlap this morning to answer to the
charge of wantonly pointing firearms
and carrying concealed weapons. He
was committed to jail for court.

Beallsville, Oct. 27.—While haul-
ing sawlogs a mile and a half east of
this place, today Samuel Hill was
thrown while manipulating a cathook
and sustained a broken arm. He was
taken to his home and Dr. Frye re-
duced the fracture. It was found that
but one bone of the left forearm had
been broken.

The members of Claysville Encamp-
ment, No. 293, I. O. O. F., were
treated to a surprise by E. H. Taylor
when he presented the encampment at
the meeting last evening with the
handsome collar which was offered by
the grand chief patriarch to the sub-
ordinate encampment making the
highest gain in membership.

Scenery Hill, Oct. 27.—The old
Scenery Hill martial band which was
organized in 1861 and which was
known as the "Rag band" at that
time has been reorganized and some of
the members who were of the original
number participated in some music
after a lapse of 43 years. The organi-
zation was disbanded in the year 1865.

Only Residents May Apply.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 28.—When
the legislature of Washington is
called together next January, its
members will be asked to pass a law
that only citizens of the United
States may apply for divorce in this
state. This provision is to prevent
people from British Columbia making
this state a clearing house for divorces.
There will also be a provision
that persons cannot petition for di-
vorce in less than one year after
marriage. At the present time many
residents of British Columbia and
subjects of King Edward come to
Washington and rent a room, estab-
lishing only nominally a year's resi-
dence, and procure decrees. The new
law will require all summonses to in-
clude the state, city and street address
of the defendant, where known and
outside the jurisdiction of the court,
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A very steep mountain side is selected, where the grass is long and sloping downward. Every one gathers his own ti leaves. The ti leaf is something like the banana leaf, but not nearly so long. With a bunch of ti leaves in his hand the first boy steps to the edge of the slide, grasps the leaves by the stems in both hands, places the leafy part under him and sits down, gives himself a start and drops down the edge of the scenery like a flash. I was assured that it was an easy matter to regulate the speed of descent by merely grasping the ti stems firmly and lifting them upward, this acting as a brake. I longed for the thrill of dropping down over the edge of a mountain and upon my brief sled of ti leaves began the descent. I went like the wind. It seemed as though my breath would be taken away from me or that I would plunge head over heels, to be dashed to pieces among the trees below. I thought of my brake and drew up on the ti leaves with all my might and came up with a jerk that jarred every bone in my body. There I sat, looking downward almost perpendicularly held in place only by a few leaves resting on the smooth, slippery grass, but the sliding was nearly a foot long, and it was only after it had been repeatedly repeated over and beaten down that it approached perfection in the eyes of the Hawaiian small boy and sometimes leads to accidents. When, for instance, the thin layer of ti leaves wears out beneath the slide a gentle tug at the stalks parts the sled and sends the slider whizzing downward in a most uncomfortable and ungraceful manner, all arms and legs. Lucky is the victim of such an accident if he is not stopped in his downward career by the trunk of a tree.—St. Nicholas.

SCARED THE ROBBERS.

Odd Incident in England in the Eighteenth Century.

For a time during the eighteenth century in England there was a lull in the robbery industry owing to an odd incident. Shortly after the execution of an English burglar named Ellison a curious communication purporting to have been written by him was put into circulation. "Now, as I am a dying man," it ran, "I have done something which may be of good use to the public. I have left with an honest man—the only honest man I was ever acquainted with—the names of all my wicked brethren, the places of their abode, with a short account of the chief crimes they have committed. In many of which I have been the accomplice and heard the rest from their own mouths. I have likewise set down the names of those we call our settlers of the houses we frequent and all of those who receive and buy our stolen goods. I have solemnly charged this honest man and have received his promise upon oath that whenever he hears of any rogue to be tried for robbery or housebreaking he will look into his list and if he finds there the name of the thief concerned to send the whole paper to the government. Of this I here give my companions fair and public warning and hope they will take it." It is said the hint was so effectual that for a long time pickpockets and burglars in that part of England went into panic stricken retirement. And, this being so, it is just as well they did not know that the letter was a clever forgery, the work of that prince of wits and humorists, Dean Swift.—New York Tribune.

Climatic Changes.

There is plenty of evidence of the very best sort which goes to prove that not only Europe and North America, but the lands situated within the arctic circle, must have enjoyed a tropical climate. The numerous fossil remains found in those regions are those of plants and animals which, according to the present state of our knowledge, must have lived under conditions now found only in the equatorial belt. Nothing is clearer than the fact that the polar cold is steadily gaining on the temperate and tropical zones and that eventually the land will be all ice fields.

Donald Knew.

Margaret, aged ten, was a beginner in history. "Mamma," she asked, "what does 'behead' mean?" "To cut off a man's head, dear." There was a moment of silent study, then another question. "What does 'defeat' mean, mamma?" Little Donald, aged four, was interested. "I know, mamma," was his logical conclusion. "Defeat means to cut a man's feet off."—Baltimore.

Very Different.

"In the olden days a reformer was liable to be burnt at the stake." "Yes, and now we put him on the lecture platform and give him 50 per cent of the gross receipts!"—Washington Star.

Talking and eloquence are not the same. To speak and to speak well are two things.—Ben Jonson.

TRAPS FOR MARINERS.

Some Points of Peril That Are Dreaded by Seamen.

MERCILESS KENTISH KNOCK.

This Real Davy Jones' Locker Is a Vast Cemetery For All Ships That Are Gripped by Its Relentless Sands. Sable Island's Fingers of Death.

The exact location of Davy Jones' locker is not shown on any ocean chart extant, principally because it is a state and not a place, but it is an ocean death trap deserves the title it is the Thames estuary. The British naval department has a chart upon which it marks the position of wrecks with a black dot. On this chart the Thames mouth tract is a solid black spot. So numerous have been the wrecks that the dots run together. The point where the black dots actually pile one on top of another is the Kentish Knock, and this is the place among all of the ocean's danger spots that deserves the title of Davy Jones' locker.

At the Kentish Knock it is not keel chattering rocks of piercing points of coral that wreck the ocean travelers. It is sand, treacherous, clinging sand, that grasps the doomed ship with a grip of steel and holds it firmly while the angry sea beats it to fragments. Many a vessel posted at Lord's as missing would be duly accounted for if the Knock sand would give up its booty. There is no hope for ship or man when Father Neptune asks toll at the Kentish Knock, for the nearest land is twenty miles away and the nearest lifeboat at Margate, thirty miles away.

The sands of the ocean are far more dangerous than the rocks. The sand banks extend over more space, therefore offer more points of contact than the rocks, which usually rise in one slender pinnacle. The waters flow over them in smooth waves, and there are no warning breakers.

Next to the Thames mouth tract in point of danger is the Hugel, the salt water river on which Calcutta stands. The most trying part of a large vessel's voyage from New York to Calcutta is the last few miles of this calm river. In this strange, ever in a endless weather and flat, calm water vessels have been lost, dashed to pieces on the ever shifting sand banks by the force of the tides. The sands wrap the keel of the marked vessel, and she stops, but the tide moves on with relentless force, and the helpless ship is carried over on her beam ends. She careens over and founders with all on board. One of the worst shoals in the Hugel bears the name James and Mary. It was the name of a great Indian merchant shipwrecked on the sunken sand banks.

Another danger point dreaded by the master mariner has neither sand nor rocks, but a great submarine waterfall. In the English channel there is a point just beyond the Shambles banks where there is a sudden drop in the sea bottom. The channel tides sweep over the banks and down this sudden drop, creating rapids equal in fury to those of Niagara. The American ship Georgian foundered in Portland race, the name by which this danger point is known, and all hands went down with her.

Ships bound to New York from Europe pass quite near a deadly hidden shoal which runs out from Sable Island, lying off Sable cape, in Nova Scotia. The shoal runs out for miles in five directions like the fingers of a great hand reaching out for what it can destroy. When the gales blow,

heavy seas boom upon the shoals with sufficient force to shatter the staunchest vessel afloat, and when the wind ceases the beaches are strewn with wreckage and the bodies of those who have perished. The distance from the shore is too great and the surf too heavy for the life savers to reach a straggling vessel, and few lives are saved at this point. Ten vessels have been wrecked in this trap in a single day.

The rocky danger points in the ocean have nearly all been tagged, and light-houses have been erected on the most dangerous—all except one. There is no lighthouse on the Virgin rock, and there never will be. Out in the mid-Atlantic a giant pinnacle rears its head up from the ocean floor and endeavors vainly to reach the surface of the sea. It is too short by about eighteen feet. There it stands with its sharp point hidden by the ocean waves, waiting to pierce the bottom of some unsuspecting vessel and send it down to join the pile of ships' ribs and dead men's bones that litter the floor around its base. The waves seem to be in league with the rock, for if a vessel of light draft tries to pass over its head the waves shoot it down into a trough at the bottom of which the point of the rock is waiting to rip out her keel.

These danger spots, however, are but annexes to the real Davy Jones' locker, the Kentish Knock, that cemetery of ships and men where dripping ghosts of master mariners and their men flit over the ruins of their vessels.—B. R. Winslow in Los Angeles Times.

Bridge Builders.

We read of the heroes of the battlefield, the ocean and various other callings, but there is another class of men whose work is also heroic, but who are seldom heard of—men who face death high in the air. They are what the engineer calls "riggers" and are the creators of the world's big bridges and the huge skyscrapers of American cities. Without their bravery and skill the towering structures which span the world's great rivers and gorges could not be put together.—Wide World Magazine.

"Parceling Out de People."

Fishing, two boys strong their big catch on the same string. Passing a graveyard they entered the gate to divide the catch, dropping two fish just as they went inside the cemetery.

Passing, an aged negro heard the two boys: "I'll take this one, you that one; I this one, you that one; I this one, you that one," etc.

The negro listened in dismay and ran away as rapidly as his old legs could carry him. He met his negro minister, who called:

"Deacon, why you run in such terror?"

"Declare, parson, I been down yonder by de graveyard and over de fence heard de devil and de Lord parceling out de people atween 'em."

The parson laughed at the old man's fright and made him go back with him to the graveyard to convince him of his error.

The boys were still dividing—"You take that, I take this," etc. Finally one boy asked, "What you going to do with them two at the gate?"

This was more than parson or deacon could stand, and both ran pell-mell, neither wishing to take any further chances, no matter what was going on just over the fence.—Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.

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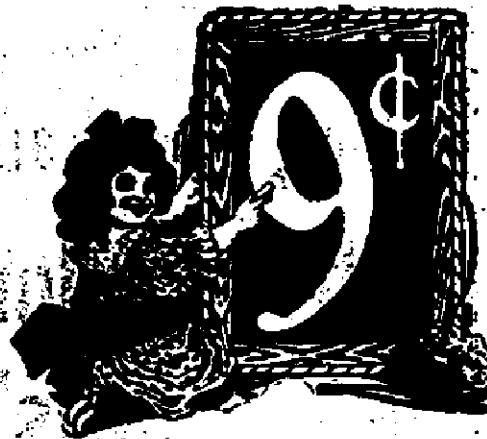
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P. & L. E. IN MARKET FOR CARS

The Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad will likely be in the market for 1,000 steel cars to handle increased business and replace those that have been rendered useless by long service. Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker, vice president of the road, returned yesterday from New York, where he had gone with a requisition for new equipment, but because of the absence of some of the directors the presentation was deferred until next week.

While it is not official it has been learned that the new equipment will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000. As it is the custom of most roads to place their orders for equipment and supplies with manufacturers along their lines there is a strong probability a firm in the Pittsburgh district will receive the order. This is the opinion held among local railroad officials.

A great significance is attached to the requisition, as it indicates the officials feel confident of an improved tone in business conditions, for not long ago they were willing to have an unfilled order of 1,000 cars with a heavier development in traffic. With the "Little Giant" traffic during this month has made considerable gains over months as compared with last year. Coal shipments are heavier and there is a good amount of ore being handled.

Few Close Elections.

Presidential contests of the last 50 years, as a rule, have not been close. The one notable exception to the rule was the election of 1876 when Hayes had 185 and Tilden 184 electoral votes. The next close margin figured in the election of 1884, when the electoral vote stood Cleveland 219, Blaine 182, a plurality for Cleveland of 37. In that year New York would have turned the balance, and Blaine lost it by a few hundred votes. In 1890 Garfield had a majority in the electoral college of 59 over Hancock, and in 1888 Harrison defeated Cleveland by 65. Cleveland came back in 1892 with a majority of 132. McKinley defeated Bryan in 1896 by a majority of 95, and in 1900 by 137.

The most one-sided election was in 1864, when Lincoln defeated McClellan 212 to 21. Grant defeated Greeley 286 to 42, and next in order of bigness was Roosevelt's victory over Parker, when the score was 336 to 140.

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Youth Charged With Passing of Forged Checks

Alphonso Wade, a colored youth of Monongahela, is now a fugitive from justice and the police are hunting high and low for him to answer a serious charge. The young man is alleged to have forged a check on George W. McFeeley for \$40.00.

On Saturday night he entered the store of A. B. Cowan at Monongahela and purchased merchandise to the amount of \$32.00. In payment for the same he tendered Mr. Cowan a check on Mr. McFeeley in the sum of \$40.00. The merchant readily accepted the check, giving Wade \$8.00 in change. The young man departed and some time later Mr. Cowan became suspicious and took the check to the bank, where his suspicions were confirmed and he found that the check was a forgery.

An effort was made at once to locate Wade but that worthy had immediately flown after getting the clothing and money. Officers are still after him and it is thought eventually he will be landed.

This is the second check that has been forged on Mr. Cowan within the month. About two weeks ago a man giving his name as William Smith presented a check for \$15.00 on H. W. McKinley, in payment for a small quantity of merchandise. This was later proven to be a forgery and Mr. Cowan was out the goods and something over \$10.00 in money. In both cases he alleged forgers gave plausible excuses for having the checks.

Young Wade has been in trouble frequently and though nothing more than a youth bears an unenviable reputation. His parents have completely lost control of him and his father has refused to assist him in the future.

Mrs. S. T. Franks and baby boy left for Columbus, Ohio, this morning for a few weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. George W. Risbeck is spending the day in Brownsville.

Alfred Lominax and family have come from Tarentum and Mr. Lominax will be employed in this place.

For horses suffering from inflammation of the lungs an old prescription was a mixture of shot and powder in milk. This has even been applied to human beings. In "Idlehurst" mention is made of sparrow shot, five or six to the dose, to be taken twice a day, as a remedy for "brown blisters," which is believed by the English farm laborers to be caused by the "lights" (their term for lungs) rising up the windpipe. The shot is supposed to weight them down to their rightful place. Sussex, England is the scene of "Idlehurst."

It was a Sussex woman who was ordered by the doctor to put some ice in a bag and bind it on the temples of her sick boy. Inquiring after his patient the next day, the physician received the reply: "Oh, Tommy's better, but the color are dekad."

They say all whiskey is good whiskey, only people better than others--"Some means 'HABERS' the other are 'alcoras.'--Call for HARPER at W. H. Zellers. 462-W-T

JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS.

The Way He Came to Write His "Uncle Remus" Stories.

Many great works of genius, as is well known, have been produced by accident, and an author is seldom the best judge of his own work. When Joel Chandler Harris wrote the first of his "Uncle Remus" stories and presented it for publication he did so with a hundred misgivings. He was not sure that his venture in negro folklore would prove successful. He could not know that they would bring him worldwide fame.

At the time described Mr. Harris was a young man of twenty-eight, employed on the Atlanta Constitution. Sam W. Small, afterward a revivalist, who had been writing for the same paper a popular column of negro story and dialect, had just resigned from the staff. The managing editor of the Constitution, wishing to continue the feature, said to Harris one day: "Joel, it seems to me you could do that sort of thing to a tee. See if you can't turn in something tonight."

The young writer's memory dated back to his early days on a plantation. All the quaint settings of negro life--the little cabins, the fiddling darkies, the wrinkled story teller, the black "mammys," the noisy corn shuckings, the bobtailed rabbits disappearing along the road--came hurrying from the past. Late that afternoon he turned in his copy. The next day his reputation was made.--Current Literature.

TIPPING IN BOHEMIA.

Even the Street Car Conductor Expects His Gratitude.

In the city of Prague a tip to the tramway conductor is considered de rigueur. The orthodox tip consists of but 2 heller, or two-tenths of a penny, yet as "strap banging" is allowed for in considering the carrying capacity of the car the conductors should have got a goodly pocketful of the minimum coin by each day's end.

Tipping, it was ascertained in another of Bohemia's larger towns, is so fully recognized that the head waiter at a cafe pays a cent for his post, supplies all the journals for the coffee room and looks after the other waiters and then makes an income larger than that of a university professor, all out of his tips.

After supper at one of the delightful open air cafes of the capital it was found that approximately one should give a half krone (fivepence) to the head waiter who took payment, two-pence to the underwaiter who brought the rinds and a halfpenny to the boy who brought--and even brought again as one glass was finished--the beer.--London Chronicle.

Don't Say Cologne.

She sprinkled eau de cologne liberally in the bath of pink marble. "It is this perfume," she said learnedly, "which makes us think that the town of Cologne must be scented. Johann Maria Farina invented 200 years ago in Cologne a perfume made of the oils of neroli, citron, bergamot, orange and rosemary. He called the perfume after his city, eau de Cologne--water of Cologne. By the same token, had he been a Londoner, he'd have called it eau de London. In that case the illiterate would now think London a scented city, and instead of saying correctly, 'Put a few drops of perfume on my handkerchief,' they would say, 'Put a few drops of London on it.' In fact, it is a very vulgar and silly error to call all perfumes cologne. You might as well call them Chicago or Denver."--New York Press.

No Satisfaction.

The Editor--Eh, what's wrong?

The Correspondent--In that letter of mine that you printed this morning several gross errors were permitted to appear. Look at this. I wrote "Nobody has any desire to impeach the rugged quality of Mr. Skimmerhorn's honesty," and you turned "honesty" into "hosiery." Look at it!

"I see it. And, what's more, I see nothing wrong about it. Anything else?"

"Yes, here's another. This is what I wrote: 'Mr. Skimmerhorn's ripe experience and his respect for honor must not be forgotten.' And you speak here of his 'ripe experience' and his 'respect for Homer.'"

"Yes; that's so. And they're both highly commendable virtues. Good morning, sir."--Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Hurry Fad.

"Mr. Cleveland," said a Princeton lecturer, "had little sympathy with the rush--and hurry that the American business man so complacently affects--no sympathy with train and boat dispatch, with the lunch table telephone, the letter, phonograph and the other bluffs, but I must confess I am a bit of a hurry man myself."

"Don't rush so," Mr. Cleveland once said to me. "Lightning might do a great deal more if it wasn't always in such a awful hurry."--Washington Star.

That's More Notable.

"Which would you call more notable, the prima donna's debut or her farewell?"

"Neither, wouldn't you?"

"Don't know that I would. She can make but one debut."

100 of One-Thing Left.

Elderly Uncle Spent your entire patrimony, have you, Archibald? Gone through everything? Scapetrace Nephew--Yes, uncle; everything but the bankruptcy court.--Chicago Tribune.

A woman may not be logical when she undertakes to argue, but if she is only pretty enough that doesn't make any earthly difference.--Somerville Journal.

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON, D. C., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1908

One Cent

NIGHT SCHOOL WILL START PROBABLY NEXT MONDAY

Teacher Is Elected By School Board At Meeting Held Last Night.

COMES WELL RECOMMENDED

Has Taught Two Years In High And One In Common School.

It is likely that the night school for which over one hundred foreigners and Americans of this place petitioned recently will be started up next Monday. The old chapel in the High School building has been fitted up for occupancy and the only thing to be done now is the putting in of seats. If these come so that they can be installed by Monday, the school will be started at that time.

Last night the school board held a called meeting and elected a teacher for the night work. The applicant which seemed the most satisfactory and the only one of the three who sought the position that had ever had any experience in school work was George H. Chessman, of Pittsburg, and he was elected.

Mr. Chessman has spent two years in High School and one in common school so that he is well qualified for the work here.

Not only will he have charge of the night school but he will be required to also take charge of a few branches in High school. The High School teachers have been rushed to keep up with their work all year and it would have been necessary to sooner or later select an instructor to assist them.

The salary of the new instructor will be \$80 a month. He is a graduate of Grove City college and has taught in Butler county.

Fire Finally Extinguished At Hazel Mine

"The Hazel mines will resume operations in full Wednesday, October 29, 1908."

The fire has been totally extinguished and all burnt cinders removed from the mine. At no time after 2 p. m. Saturday were the flames in a dangerous condition. We had plenty of water in reservoir inside the mine, aggregating 20 acres of water six feet deep. We regret very much the reports printed in the city papers. The damage will not exceed \$5,000.

The Pittsburg-Buffalo company, through its general manager, D. G. Jones, furnished the above statement Tuesday afternoon.

While the fire has been extinguished, this was not accomplished without hard and persistent work on the part of the company's officials, who worked untiringly from the moment the fire was discovered until it was extinguished.

Beginning this morning the big mine will be operated as if the fire had not occurred.

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Minton Shippe and family, and Mr. Beazell left this morning for Okmulgee, Okla., where they will locate.

MONONGAHELA PLANT TO RESUME OPERATIONS

Monongahela, Pa., Oct. 27.—George Anton of the firm of George Anton and Brothers, at Monongahela, the largest manufacturer of miners' lamps in the world, stated last night that they hoped to be able to resume in part after a three-month shutdown on January 1, regardless of the presidential election's outcome.

LEGAL QUESTION IN OUSTING OF COUNCILMEN

An argument raising an interesting constitutional question was made in the Fayette county court yesterday before both Judge R. E. Umbel and J. Q. Van Swearingen. The point involved the ouster proceedings brought against a number of Masontown councilmen. Attorney D. M. Hertzog, for the councilmen, contending that the act which provided the courts with authority to take cognizance of such proceedings conflicts with the Pennsylvania constitution. Attorney John M. Core appeared in behalf of the petitioners, arguing that the courts held concurrent power with the governor and senate.

The argument was made upon but two of the cases, those against J. A. Sterling and D. O. Lardin. Demurrers were filed to the actions and two reasons cited in support. One was that the furnishing of bonds to the borough, the complaint made in this case, was not within the prohibition of the act of assembly which mentioned martial law and supplies; the second reason being the unconstitutionality of the act.

Just before the argument opened, the court granted an issue in a civil minority auditors' report in which the borough of Masontown is plaintiff and J. A. Sterling, J. B. Sterling, M. H. Cloud, William Boneaker, Ray Anderson, D. O. Lardin and S. F. Hawkins are defendants. This action is to recover the money alleged to have been wrongfully expended. The plaintiff is to file a statement of claim within ten days and the defendants an answer within fifteen days thereafter.

CHARGED WITH THE FORGING OF CHECK

Charged with forging a check for \$45.68 on Joe Solomon at a Millboro bank. Albert Toney was arrested yesterday at Brownsville by Constable William Briscoe, but later gave \$300 bail for a hearing before Justice William Jeffries of that place. It is alleged by Solomon, the prosecutor that Toney forged his name on the check and drew the money from the bank without his knowledge. Toney who was employed by Joe Brown, a Brownsville merchant, at the time of the arrest denies the charge. The hearing will be this week.

Notice.

The Grand Red, White and Blue Masquerade reception will be held in the Bank of Charleroi Hall Saturday evening, Oct. 31. 6613

SAD ACCIDENT AT MONONGAHELA— FATHER STRIKES SON WITH PICK

Digging Excavation And The Instrument In Hands Of Older Man Sinks Into Other's Head—Father On Verge Of Insanity.

With his son unconscious and probably dying because of a blow accidentally inflicted by the father John Charles Ashton, Sr., of Monongahela, is suffering excruciating mental torture and is apparently on the verge of insanity.

He and his 17-year-old son were digging the foundation for a new house which was to be the family's home when completed, at Monongahela. They worked after dark last evening, the father digging dirt loose with a pick and the son bauling it from the excavation in a wheelbarrow.

Standing with his pick upraised Charles Ashton did not see the 17-year-old boy re-enter the foundation and stoop to let down the wheelbarrow. When the pick descended he saw too late his son's peril. The implement struck young Ashton upon the temple. He was knocked unconscious and was thought to be fatally hurt.

The injured youth has not yet recovered consciousness. He may die at any moment, it is announced, and the father is wild with grief over the tragic affair.

Arrangements For Big Rally Of Republicans Completed

Washington, Oct. 28.—Arrangements have been completed for the Republican meeting to be held here tomorrow night in the town hall. It is expected that hundreds of strangers will be here to attend. A special train and additional street car service will bring those living along the river district.

Judge J. T. Taylor will act as chairman of the meeting and a number of vice chairmen have been appointed. Those from Charleroi and

North Charleroi are Kerfoot W. Daly, Chas. F. Thompson, Charleroi. Geo. Nutt, North Charleroi.

Senator Thurston will arrive in Washington during the day, and may hold an informal reception with Lieutenant Governor Murphy at one of the hotels. Mr. Tener will come to Washington during the afternoon also. After the meeting the speakers will board the special train for Pittsburg, as it is necessary that Senator Thurston be in Washington, D. C. the next morning.

Monessen Will Fight Plague Burglars At Eldora Home

Within a month it is said Monessen will have a State Tuberculosis Commission waging an active warfare on the dread white plague and sufferers from the vicinity can get the best of treatment according to the most modern methods in use in fighting the disease. The good fortune of the town can be attributed in the main to Jesse E. B. Cunningham who upon a recent visit there acquainted several prominent citizens with the fact that three such commissions were to be appointed in Westmoreland county. Monessen's cap was immediately set for one of them.

A committee appointed in that connection, met and elected Dr. Morgan J. Cramer, chief. It will be necessary for Dr. Cramer to treat tuberculosis sufferers according to the methods laid down by the State board, but before his election is ratified by the State officials he will have to pass an examination. The committee is composed of George Nash, U. S. Smiley, W. S. Bumbaugh, Andy Scott and J. J. Cushing.

Quarters will be equipped at Monessen and free treatment will be given those who cannot afford to pay for it. Free examinations will be given in any case and in the event of serious cases they will be sent to the state dispensary in the mountains. Greensburg and Scottsdale will get the other two commissions in Westmoreland.

Last night burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam G. Wickerham in Eldora and robbed the basement of the house of considerable stuff that had been placed there. Entry was made through the cellar door. The articles taken mostly was canned fruit that Mrs. Wickerham had placed there. Officers were notified at Monongahela and made an investigation but with no fruitful results.

WASH DAY BAD TIME TO FIGHT

Wash day is a bad time to scrap. Anyhow this is the opinion of Mrs. Annie Deams, of the bill section, and Mrs. Yates as well. The former was fined \$2 and costs this morning at a hearing before Justice E. E. Wilson, on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Mrs. Yates. It seems that the two who are neighbors, yesterday morning became engaged in an argument over the back fence. It is understood that both were washing, and Mrs. Deams, finally angered beyond control, launched a pan of hot starch at Mrs. Yates which the latter escaped only by her ability to run.

Superintendent Dodds of the County Home Resigns Position

After several days of probing into the alleged irregularities at the County home, of which J. V. Dodds is superintendent a final meeting was held yesterday by the directors of the poor at which Superintendent Dodds tendered his resignation to take effect not later than November 28. It was found that Mr. Dodds was off in his accounts to upwards of \$60, while the Taxpayers league claims that there is a shortage of over \$170 which includes stuff taken from the home for Mr. Dodds' own consumption on his farm in Independence township.

The first talk of irregularities at the County home was at the last audit and later the Taxpayers league handed the board of poor directors a list to investigate, which has appeared in these columns before. The investigation then started has culminated in Superintendent Dodds handing in his resignation.

In addition to the investigation of the accounts of Mr. Dodds already made and in connection with his resignation, it has also been agreed to have the accounts of Mr. Dodds and the accounts of the directors audited by an outside party.

and that these two shall make complete audit and statement of the accounts of Mr. Dodds from January 1, 1908, up to the date when his connection with the home shall cease. Of course the only official and binding audit can be made by the county auditors; but it was thought best by both parties that this present investigation and statement should be made for the benefit of all interested.

On the statement of two directors of the poor a public investigation was to have been held in the public meeting room of the court house yesterday morning, but none of the directors showed up and those who had gathered adjourned. It was later learned that the directors were holding a meeting with their attorneys, McIlvaine and Clark in the Trust building and the resignation of Mr. Dodds was the result.

It is understood that Mr. Dodds will be enabled to adjust his affairs at the County home, preparatory to leaving on November 28th as set forth in his resignation, and that the accounts will be audited thereafter.

MUCH EXCITEMENT AT THE MINER'S CONVENTION TODAY

COME ON BOAT TO BEGIN WORK

Pittsburg, Oct. 28.—Contractor Frank Dontella, with a large force of workmen, horses and wagons left today for Charleroi on the packet Columbia to begin grading for the extension of the trolley line from Donora to Eldora park.

KLU KLUX KLAN OF MONONGAHELA WILL COME HERE

Some time before long it is very probable that Charleroi will have an opportunity of witnessing the Klu Klux Klan, the Monongahela Society that has made such reputation, and which was in the Sesqui Centennial, parade at Pittsburg, recently. The Klan intends to parade in various towns of this section as an advertisement of their annual New Year's celebration and Charleroi one of the first on the list.

The history of the Klu Klux Klan is interesting. The one located at Monongahela is the only one now in existence in the United States at the present time and it is much different from the original body which was formed in the year 1867, or just after the close of the civil war. The original Klan was a secret society in the Southern States, composed of carpet baggers and scoundrels. The object of the society was to intimidate negroes and others from taking part in politics. This organization was suppressed by an act of Congress on of 1871.

The Monongahela Klan is merely an imitation of the famous body and a proposition has been made to form a permanent organization and have it conducted on a plan whereby each member is entitled to benefits should he become sick, or be the victim of an accident. The Monongahela people have costumes, they being white flowing robes, with King's Jester hats. On the breast of the coats there is a black circle bearing white crosses. The company will go to Homestead on Halloween and likely come here to parade a few days later. They have been tendered an invitation to go to the former place, and will have all their expenses paid.

ORDERED TO GET OUT OF TOWN AT ONCE

Two ladies of this place, possessing an unenviable reputation, were before Burgess Hott last night on a charge of creating a disturbance on the street. They were ordered to get out of town, at once, and stated that they would.

Work Started.

Work has started in Monongahela at cleaning the old Casino Nickleodean, which is to be remodeled by Zimmer Bros., of that place and an Arcade opened. When finished the place will be one of the best of the kind in the valley. Bowling alleys, shooting galleries and other things of a like nature will be installed in the place. The Casino Nickleodean was in one of the land marks of Monongahela, in what is known as the old Applegate building. The remodeling is to be finished by the 20th of November.

National President Lewis and District President Feehan Have Clash.

ON ACCOUNT OF ENMITY

Lewis Said To Have Sent

Organizers Into District Secretly.

A warm session of the miners of District No. 5 is being held in Pittsburg today. The convention which was called by the executive board opened yesterday and the meeting was interesting from the start. Today National President T. I. Lewis is present and during the course of the session there will be a clash between he and Mr. Feehan. The miners of this district are greatly worked up over the action of the former, who it is said is fighting the president of the district on account of personal enmity.

The convention was called at the petition of the miners against the wishes of Mr. Lewis, to investigate the charges of drunkenness preferred against Vice President Clark of District No. 5, who was suspended by National President Feehan, and take up the matter of the organizers which were sent into the field it is claimed, by National President Lewis, to create dissension. The latter is real cause for the calling of the convention.

It is well known that Mr. Lewis is not a friend of Mr. Feehan, who defeated the former's man for president of this district. For this reason it is said the National president who is rather unpopular himself, sent secret organizers, thirteen in number, into this district, without the knowledge of the local leaders, and that they have been disrupting, instead of organizing.

These secret organizers have been in the district ever since Mr. Lewis took charge of the office of National president following the resignation of Mr. Mitchell. He seeks to elect a new list of officials in this district at the coming election in December and thus increase his own standing. Mr. Feehan and the present officials are very popular however and it is hardly likely that the men of the Lewis slate will be placed in office. Moreover it is most likely that Lewis himself will be defeated for National President at the coming election. He was in trouble in the Central district about two weeks ago for the very same reasons against which the miners of District No. 5 are protesting.

The meeting today will no doubt be an exciting one and some things will be brought out that will be interesting to the miners.

The district gathering as against the waiver of liability that the Monongahela River Coal company is enforcing on its employees was put on record yesterday despite the antagonism of the adherents of President Lewis, who desired to have the matter held over until today.

The waiver provides that in the case of any employee under 21 years of age who is either injured or killed while at work in the mines of the company the parent in signing the waiver will not be able to recover damages.

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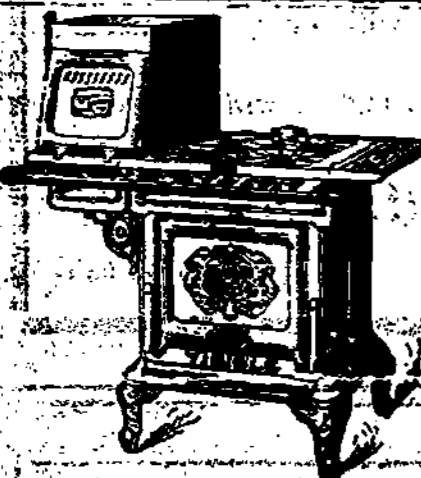
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MOUNTAIN SLIDING

Mountain sliding is a sport which is becoming popular in the Hawaiian Islands. It is a favorite pastime for the boys of Hawaii. Mountain sliding is a favorite pastime for the boys of Hawaii. Mountain sliding is a favorite pastime for the boys of Hawaii.

A very steep mountain side is selected, where the grass is long and sloping downward. Every one gathers his own ti leaves. The ti leaf is something like the banana leaf, but not nearly so long. With a bunch of ti leaves in his hand the first boy steps to the edge of the slide, grasps the leaves by the stems in both hands, places the leafy part under him and sits down. He gives himself a start and drops down the edge of the slide like a flash. It was assumed that it was an easy matter to regulate the speed of descent by merely grasping the ti stems firmly and lifting them upward. This acting as a brake. I lunged for the ti leaf of dropping down over the edge of a mountain and upon my brief sled of ti leaves began the descent. I went like the wind. It seemed as though my breath would be taken away from me or that I would plunge head over heels to be dashed to pieces among the trees below. I thought of my home and drew up on the ti leaves with all my might and came up with a jerk that jarred every bone in my body. There I sat, looking downward without perceptibly holding in my body by a few leaves resting on the smooth, slippery grass. But the ti grass is nearly a foot long and it is only after it has been repeatedly stepped on and beaten down that it approaches perfection in the eyes of the Hawaiian small boy and sometimes leads to accidents. When, for instance, the thin layer of ti leaves wears out beneath the slide a gentle tug at the stalks parts the sled and sends the slider whizzing downward in a most uncomfortable and ungraceful manner, all arms and legs. Lucky is the victim of such an accident if he is not stopped in his downward career by the trunk of a tree.—St. Nicholas.

SCARED THE ROBBERS.

Odd Incident in England in the Eighteenth Century.

For a time during the eighteenth century in England there was a lull in the robbery industry owing to an odd incident. Shortly after the execution of an English burglar named Ellison a curious communication purporting to have been written by him was put into circulation. "Now, as I am a dying man," it ran, "I have done something which may be of good use to the public. I have left with an honest man—the only honest man I was ever acquainted with—the names of all my wicked brethren, the places of their abode, with a short account of the chief crimes they have committed. In many of which I have been the accomplice and heard the rest from their own mouths. I have likewise set down the names of those we call our setters of the houses we frequent and all of those who receive and buy our stolen goods. I have solemnly charged this honest man and have received his promise upon oath that whenever he hears of any rogue to be tried for robbery or housebreaking he will look into his list and if he finds there the name of the thief concerned to send the whole paper to the government. Of this I here give my companions fair and public warning and hope they will take it." It is said the hint was so effectual that for a long time pickpockets and burglars in that part of England went into panic stricken retreat. And, this being so, it is just as well they did not know that the letter was a clever forgery, the work of that prince of wits and humorists, Dean Swift.—New York Tribune.

Climatic Changes.

There is plenty of evidence of the very best sort which goes to prove that not only Europe and North America, but the lands situated within the arctic circle, must have enjoyed a tropical climate. The numerous fossil remains found in those regions are those of plants and animals which, according to the present state of our knowledge, must have lived under conditions now found only in the equatorial belt. Nothing is clearer than the fact that the polar cold is steadily gaining on the temperate and tropical zones and that eventually the land will be all ice fields.

Donald Knew.

Margaret, aged ten, was a beginner in history. "Mamma," she asked, "what does 'behead' mean?" "To cut off a man's head, dear." There was a moment of silent study, then another question. "What does 'defeat' mean, mamma?" "Little Donald, aged four, was interrupted. "I know, mamma," was his logical conclusion. "Defeat means to cut a man's feet off."—Dallas.

Very Different.

"In the olden days a reformer was liable to be burnt at the stake." "Yes, and now we put him on the electric platform and give him 99 per cent of the gross proceeds."—Washington Post.

TRAPS FOR MARINERS

Some Points of Peril That Are Dreaded by Seamen.

MERCILESS KENTISH KNOCK.

This Real Davy Jones' Locker is a Vast Cemetery For All Ships That Are Gripped by Its Relentless Sands. Sable Island's Fingers of Death.

The exact location of Davy Jones' locker is not shown on any ocean chart extant, principally because it is a state and not a place, but if any one ocean death trap deserves the title it is the Thames estuary. The British naval department has a chart upon which it marks the position of wrecks with a black dot. On this chart the Thames mouth tract is a solid black spot. So numerous have been the wrecks that the dots run together. The point where the black dots actually pile one on top of another is the Kentish Knock, and this is the place among all of the ocean's danger spots that deserves the title of Davy Jones' locker.

At the Kentish Knock it is not keel shattering rocks of piercing points of coral that wreck the ocean travelers. It is sand, treacherous, clinging sand, that grips the doomed ship with a grip of steel and holds it firmly while the waves dash at its fragments. Many a vessel perished at Lloyd's as passing would be duly accounted for if the Knock sand would give up its booty. There is no hope for ship or man when Father Neptune asks toll at the Kentish Knock, for the nearest land is twenty miles away and the nearest lifeboat at Margate, thirty miles away.

The sands of the ocean are far more dangerous than the rocks. The sand banks extend over more space, therefore offer more points of contact than the rocks, with a usually rise in one slender pinnacle. The waters flow over them in smooth waves, and there are no warning breakers.

Next to the Thames mouth tract in point of danger is the Hugh, the salt water river on which Calcutta stands. The most trying part of a large vessel's voyage from New York to Calcutta is the last few miles of this salt river. In this strange river in winchless weather and flat, calm water vessels have been lost, dashed to pieces on the ever shifting sand banks by the force of the tides. The same group the force of the marked water, and she stops, but the tide moves on with relentless force, and the helpless ship is carried over on her beam ends. She comes over and founders with all on board. One of the worst shoals in the Hugh bears the name James and Mary. It was the name of a great Indian merchant shipwrecked on the sunken sand banks.

Another danger point dreaded by the master mariner has neither sand nor rocks, but a great submarine waterfall. In the English channel there is a point just beyond the Shambles banks where there is a sudden drop in the sea bottom. The channel tides sweep over the banks and down this sudden drop, creating rapids equal in fury to those of Niagara. The American ship Georgian foundered in Portland race, the name of which this danger point is known, and all hands went down with her.

Ships bound to New York from Europe pass quite near a deadly hidden shoal which runs out from Sable Island, lying off Sable cape, in Nova Scotia. The shoal runs out for miles in five directions like the fingers of a great hand reaching out for what it can destroy. When the gales blow,

heavy seas mount upon the shoals with sufficient force to shake the stanchest vessel about, and when the wind ceases the benches are strewn with wreckage and the bodies of those who have perished. The distance from the shore is too great and the port too heavy for the life savers to reach a straggling vessel, and few lives are saved at this point. Ten vessels have been wrecked in this trap in a single day.

The rocky danger points in the ocean have nearly all been tagged, and light-houses have been erected on the most dangerous—all except one. There is no light-house on the Virgin rock, and there never will be. Out in the mid-Atlantic a giant pinnacle rears its head up from the ocean floor and endeavors vainly to reach the surface of the sea. It is too short by about eighteen feet. There it stands with its sharp point hidden by the ocean waves, waiting to pierce the bottom of some unsuspecting vessel and send it down to join the pile of ships' ribs and dead men's bones that litter the floor around its base. The waves seem to be in league with the rock, for if a vessel of light draft tries to pass over its head the waves shoot it down into a trough at the bottom of which the point of the rock is waiting to strike.

These danger spots, however, are but annexes to the real Davy Jones' locker, the Kentish Knock, that cemetery of ships and men where dripping ghosts of monster mariners and their men flit over the ruins of their vessels.—B. R. Winslow in Los Angeles Times.

Bridge Builders.

We read of the heroes of the battlefield, the ocean and various other callings, but there is another class of men whose work is also heroic, but who are seldom heard of—men who face death high in the air. They are what the engineer calls "riggers" and are the creators of the world's big bridges and the huge skyscrapers of American cities. Without their bravery and skill the towering structures which span the world's great rivers and gorges could not be put together.—Wide World Magazine.

"Parceling Out de People."

Fishing, two boys string their big catch on the same string. Passing a graveyard they entered the gate to divide the catch, dropping two fish just as they went inside the cemetery. Passing an aged negro heard the two boys: "I'll take this one, you that one; I'll take one, you that one; I'll take one, you that one." etc.

The negro listened in dismay and ran away as rapidly as his old legs could carry him. He met his negro minister, who called:

"Deacon, why you run in such terror?"

"Declare, parson, I been down you-der by de graveyard and over de fence heard de devil and de Lord parceling out de people between 'em."

The parson laughed at the old man's fright and made him go back with him to the graveyard to convince him of his error.

The boys were still dividing—"You take that, I take this," etc. Finally one boy asked, "What you going to do with them two at the gate?"

This was more than parson or deacon could stand, and both ran pell-mell, neither wishing to take any further chances, no matter what was going on just over the fence.—Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle.

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MARKET FOR CARS

The Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Rail-
road will likely be in the market for
1,000 steel cars to handle increased
business and replace those that have
been rendered useless by long ser-
vice. Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker,
vice president of the road, returned
yesterday from New York, where he
had gone with a requisition for new
equipment, but because of the absence
of some of the directors the presenta-
tion was deferred until next week.

While it is not official it has
been learned that the new equip-
ment will cost in the neighborhood
of \$1,000,000. As it is the custom
of most roads to place their orders
for equipment and supplies with
manufacturers along their lines there
is a strong probability a firm in the
Pittsburgh district will receive the
order. This is the opinion held
among local railroad officials.

A great significance is attached to
the requisition, as it indicates the
officials feel confident of an improved
tone in business conditions, for not
long ago they were willing to have
an unfilled order of 1,000 cars with a
heavier development in traffic. With
the "Little Giant" traffic during this
month has made considerable gains
over months as compared with last
year. Coal shipments are heavier and
there is a good amount of ore being
handled.

Few Close Elections.

Presidential contests of the last 50
years, as a rule, have not been close.
The one notable exception to the rule
was the election of 1876, when Hayes
had 135 and Tilden 134 electoral votes.
The next close margin figured in the
election of 1884, when the electoral
vote stood Cleveland 219, Blaine 182,
a plurality for Cleveland of 37. In
that year New York would have
turned the balance, and Blaine lost it
by a few hundred votes. In 1890
Garfield had a majority in the elec-
torial college of 59 over Hancock, and
in 1888 Harrison defeated Cleveland
by 65. Cleveland came back in 1892
with a majority of 132. McKinley
defeated Bryan in 1896 by a majority
of 95, and in 1900 by 137.

The most one-sided election was in
1864, when Lincoln defeated Mc-
Clellan 212 to 21. Grant defeated
Greeley 286 to 42, and next in order
of bigness was Roosevelt's victory
over Parker, when the score was 336
to 140.

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Youth Charged
With Passing of
Forged Checks

Alphonso Wade, a colored youth of
Monongahela, is now a fugitive from
justice and the police are hunting
high and low for him to answer a
serious charge. The young man is
alleged to have forged a check on
George W. McFeeley for \$40.00.

On Saturday night he entered the
store of A. B. Cowan at Monongahela
and purchased merchandise to the
amount of \$82.00. In payment for the
same he tendered Mr. Cowan a check
on Mr. McFeeley in the sum of \$40.00.
The merchant readily accepted the
check, giving Wade \$8.00 in change.
The young man departed and some
time later Mr. Cowan became suspi-
cious and took the check to the bank,
where his suspicions were confirmed
and he found that the check was a
forgery.

An effort was made at once to lo-
cate Wade but that worthy had
immediately flown after getting the
clothing and money. Officers are still
after him and it is thought eventually
he will be landed.

This is the second check that has
been forged on Mr. Cowan within the
month. About two weeks ago a man
giving his name as William Smith
presented a check for \$15.00 on H. W.
McKinley, in payment for a small
quantity of merchandise. This was
later proven to be a forgery and Mr.
Cowan was out the goods and some-
thing over \$10.00 in money. In both
cases he alleged forgers gave plausible
excuses for having the checks.

Young Wade has been in trouble
frequently and though nothing more
than a youth bears an unenviable rep-
utation. His parents have completely
lost control of him and his father
has refused to assist him in the
future.

Mrs. S. T. Franks and baby boy
left for Columbus, Ohio, this morning
for a few weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. George W. Risbeck is spend-
ing the day in Brownsville.

Alfred Lominaux and family have
come from Tarentum and Mr. Lominaux
will be employed in this place.

For horses suffering from indamma-
tion of the lungs an old prescription
was a mixture of shot and powder in
milk. This has been applied to
human beings. In "Idlehurst" mention
is made of sparrow shot five or six
to the dose, to be taken twice a day, as a
remedy for "brown kiffers," which is
believed by the English farm laborers
to be caused by the "kiffers" (their
term for lung) rising up the windpipe.
The shot is supposed to weight them
down in their rightful place. Sussex,
England, is the seat of "Idlehurst."
It was a Sussex woman who was or-
dered by the doctor to put some rice in
a bag and bind it on the temples of her
sick boy. Involuntarily after his patient
the next day the physician received
the reply, "Oh, Tommy's better, but the
mice are dead."

JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS.

The Way He Came to Write His

"Uncle Remus" Stories.

Many great works of genius, as is
well known, have been produced by
accident, and an author is seldom the
best judge of his own work. When
Joel Chandler Harris wrote the first of
his "Uncle Remus" stories and pre-
sented it for publication he did so
with a hundred misgivings. He was
not sure that his venture in negro folk-
lore would prove successful. He could
not know that they would bring him
worldwide fame.

At the time described Mr. Harris
was a young man of twenty-eight, em-
ployed on the Atlanta Constitution.
Sam W. Small, afterward a revivalist,
who had been writing for the same
paper a popular column of negro story
and dialect, had just resigned from the
staff. The managing editor of the Con-
stitution, wishing to continue the fea-
ture, said to Harris one day: "Joel, it
seems to me you could do that sort of
thing to a tee. See if you can't turn in
something tonight."

The young writer's memory fitted
back to his early days on a plantation.
All the quaint settings of negro life--
the little cabins, the fiddling darkies,
the wrinkled story teller, the black
the bottled rabbits disappearing
along the road--came hurrying from
the past. Late that afternoon he turned
in his copy. The next day his repu-
tation was made.--Current Literature.

TIPPING IN BOHEMIA.

Even the Street Car Conductor Ex-
pects His Gratuity.

In the city of Prague a tip to the
tramway conductor is considered de-
rigueur. The orthodox tip consists of
but 2 heller, or two-tenths of a penny,
yet as "strap hanging" is allowed for
in considering the carrying capacity of
the car the conductors should have got
a goodly pocketful of the minimum
coin by each day's end.

Tippling. It was ascertained in an-
other of Bohemia's larger towns, is so
fully recognized that the head waiter
at a cafe pays a rent for his post, sup-
plies all the journals for the coffee
room and looks after the other wait-
ers and then makes an income larger
than that of a university professor, all
out of his tips.

After supper at one of the deligh-
ful open air cafes of the capital it was
found that approximately one should
give a half krone (fivepence) to the
head waiter who took payment, two-
pence to the underwaiter who brought
the viands and a halfpenny to the boy
who brought--and even brought again
as one glass was finished--the beer.--
London Chronicle.

Don't Say Cologne.

She sprinkled eau de cologne liber-
ally in the bath of pink marble. "It is
this perfume," she said learnedly,
"which makes us think that the town
of Cologne must be scented. Johann
Maria Farina invented 200 years ago
in Cologne a perfume made of the oils
of neroli, citron, bergamot, orange and
rosemary. He called the perfume after
his city, eau de Cologne--water of
Cologne. By the same token, had he
been a Londoner, he'd have called it
eau de London. In that case the illu-
strate would now think London a scented
city, and instead of saying correctly,
"Put a few drops of perfume on my
handkerchief," they would say, "Put
a few drops of London on it." In fact,
it is a very vulgar and silly error to
call all perfumes cologne. You might
as well call them Chicago or Denver."
--New York Press.

No Satisfaction.

The Editor--Eh, what's wrong?
The Correspondent--In that letter of
mine that you printed this morning
several gross errors were permitted to
appear. Look at this. I wrote "No-
body has any desire to impeach the
rugged quality of Mr. Skimmerhorn's
honesty," and you turned "honesty"
into "hostility." Look at it!

"I see it. And, what's more, I see
nothing wrong about it. Anything
else?"

"Yes, here's another. This is what I
wrote: 'Mr. Skimmerhorn's ripe experi-
ence and his respect for honor must
not be forgotten.' And you speak here
of his 'ripe experience' and his 're-
spect for Homer.'"

"Yes, that's so. And they're both
highly commendable virtues. Good
morning, sir."--Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Hurry Fad.

"Mr. Cleveland," said a Princeton
lecturer, "had little sympathy with the
rush-and-hurry that the American
business man so complacently affects--
no sympathy with train and boat dic-
tation, with the lunch table telephone,
the letter, phonograph and the other
bluffs. He said they were the signs of
a great deal more 'if it wasn't always in
such an awful hurry.'--Washington
Star.

The More Notable.

"Which would you call more notable,
the prima donna's debut or her fare-
well?"
"Neither well," wouldn't you?"
"Don't you think I would?" She can
make but one debut.
[Sighs and exits]
[A line of One Thing Left]
[Elderly Uncle spent his entire pa-
tience here, and then he said:]
"Through everything! Scapegrace Neph-
ew's nonsense! Everything but the
bankrupt Chicago Tribune."
[Exit Uncle]
[A woman who took the dog, who
was the same as the dog, but who was
only pretty enough that doesn't make
any earthly difference. Somerville
Journalist, etc.]

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